

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Tomofumi Watanabe et al. Art Unit : 2653
Serial No. : 10/027,257 Examiner : P. Huber
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Title : METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR RECORDING DATA ON AN OPTICAL
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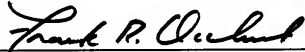
PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated June 28, 2006, be extended for one month to and including October 30, 2006.

The fee in the amount of \$120.00 for the one month extension of time is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization. Please apply all charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing Attorney Docket No. 10449-041001.

Respectfully submitted,

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